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EXPLANATION OF RELEVANCE

References AA and AL are cited for the reasons noted in Applicants' specification.

Reference AM is cited in view of its disclosure of an authentication 30 system and method which allows the identity of the user to be authenticated when the user is seeking access to a secure service provided by a server.

Copies of the above-cited references together with Form 1449 are enclosed for the Examiner's review.

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